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## AND SASKATCHEWAN REVIEW.

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### NOTICE.

Application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next Session for an Act extending the time within which the Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company may complete its undertaking.

R. A. SMITH,  
Secretary.

### STOP!

W. SHANNON'S

And save money by buying your Boots and Shoes there. He is selling off the balance of his well assorted stock of Winter Goods at COST for cash, consisting of

Mitts, Moccasins  
Overshoes of all sizes  
Hosiery and Winter-lined  
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His General Stock of Boots and Shoes will be reduced from 10 to 25 per cent.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has this day been pleased to order that a sitting of the Supreme Court for the Judicial District of Saskatchewan shall be held within the said District, at ten o'clock in the morning at the places and on the days following, namely:

Duck Lake, Monday, 21st March, 1892.

Prince Albert, Tuesday, 19th April, 1892.

Battleford, Wednesday, 11th May, 1892.

By command.

R. S. GORDON,  
Secretary.

Lieutenant-Governor's Office,  
Regina, N.W.T., 4th March, 1892.

### WANTED.

A Teacher wanted for the St. Leonard Protestant Public School, No. 35, holding second or third class certificate. Duties to commence on the 1st of May next and lasting six months.

Applications to be sent to the undersigned GEO. TAIT, Secretary.

Puckahn, P. O., March 16th, 1892.

### NOTICE.

The Liquor License Ordinance 1891-92, N. W. Territories.

The following applications for Licenses have been received and will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners for License District No. 10 in the Queen's Hotel, Prince Albert, on Wednesday, the sixth day of April 1892, at ten o'clock a.m.:

Xavier Letendre dit Batoche, Batoche Hotel, Batoche - Hotel License.

Solomon Vienne, "Vienne's Residence," Batoche - Wholesale License.

George John Fisher, Building, situate on Lot No. 33, Duck Lake - Wholesale License.

William Tait, Store on the West half of Lot No. 8 Block - River Lot 77, Prince Albert - Wholesale License.

Richard Gwynne, Building on Lot No. 8 Block - A River Lot 78, Prince Albert - Wholesale License.

Thos. Oram, "Queen's Hotel," Prince Albert - Hotel License.

The Hudson's Bay Co., H. B. Co. Warehouse, Prince Albert - Wholesale License.

Angus Thompson, "Saskatchewan Hotel," Duck Lake - Hotel License.

Dated at Regina, this 11th day of March, 1892.

J. C. POPE,  
Chief License Inspector.

### Port Elgin Nursery.

Twelve Iron Clad Apple Trees,  
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### OBITUARY.

It is our sad duty this week to chronicle the death of John Wymerskirch an old timer of Prince Albert who died in the hospital at Winnipeg on the 27th ult.

He had been ill for some time previous, and thinking the medical treatment in Winnipeg would be beneficial went down, but died soon after his arrival, expressing as a last wish that he might be buried at Prince Albert.

The deceased was a native of Alsace, and came to America at the age of twenty, joined the Union army, and saw service from the summer of '62 until the close of the war. He remained in the States until '72 when he came to Winnipeg. In the year '76 he joined the Mounted Police, and served as a constable for the term of three years. He took his discharge in '79 intending to go to France, but on arriving at Winnipeg a longing for the Mounted Police again brought him back, and at Fort Walsh in '79 he again enlisted. He bought his discharge after two years and came to Prince Albert, where with the exception of a year's absence in British Columbia he has since resided. His last wish, as before stated, that he might be buried here was carried out, and on Tuesday night's train all that was mortal of old John arrived here. Mayor Donaldson had the body placed in the Council Chamber, and made arrangements with the Mounted Police for a military funeral.

On Wednesday at one o'clock a firing party formed up at the Council Chamber, and at the appointed hour the mournful procession headed by the band playing "Chopin's Miserere" moved on toward the Catholic church, where the impressive church service was chanted by the choir. After the funeral service the procession once more moved toward the Catholic cemetery, and on arriving there the last short ceremonial was performed by the Rev. Pere Dommeau. After the usual three volleys of the firing party, the mourners returned to town.

John was a good citizen in many respects, true to his word, and a brave

soldier, one who although an alien, was one of the first to volunteer during the rebellion troubles, and one of the foremost at the Duck Lake fight. His familiar form and friendly voice will be missed on our streets and may he repose in peace.

The marching and steady demeanor of the detachment of N. W. M. Police under Sert. Major Hynes, caused considerable favorable comment, among the numerous spectators in fact the firing party would have been a credit to any regiment of H. M. Regular Forces.

### EXTEND THE EXPERIMENTS

The following is taken from the *Morning West Farmer*:

The Mayor of Calgary having communicated with Director Saunders urging the establishment of an experimental farm in that district, has received a reply in which Mr. Saunders said a large number of similar applications had been received from other parts of the Dominion for similar branch establishments, and expressing the fear that if the request of one was acceded to it would be difficult to refuse others. Mr. Saunders promised, however, to discuss the matter with the Minister of Agriculture upon his return to the capital. Mr. Saunders' answer is of course a diplomatic one, calculated to stave the question off for a time, but if it is pushed, as it should be, and doubtless will be, the Minister of Agriculture will find such an excuse will not be accepted. There are now five experimental farms, the Central at Ottawa and the provincial ones at Nappan, Nova Scotia; Brandon, Manitoba; Indian Head, Assiniboia; and Agassiz, British Columbia. In addition to these the Ontario Government carries on the School of Agriculture at Guelph. Thus it will be seen the country east of Lake Superior is well supplied, the Central farm at Ottawa being ample for Quebec and Ontario, especially when assisted by the Guelph institution, and Nappan being sufficient for the Maritime Provinces. In the east, where agricultural operations have been carried on for many years, there is not the same necessity for experimental farms as in the new west, and any additional farms which are started should be west of Lake Superior.

The Indian Head farm is doing good work for Assiniboia, but it is not sufficient for the whole of the Northwest Territories. Calgary may or may not be the best point at which to locate a farm for Alberta, but it is evident that one will have to be established in that provisional district at an early date, and the provisional district of Saskatchewan should also have one. The climate and other conditions of these two districts differ so much from Assiniboia that the Indian Head farm is of little use to them. From an immigration standpoint the establishment of experimental farms in both Alberta and Saskatchewan would undoubtedly be a good investment, and the *Farmer* hopes to see them decided on without unnecessary delay.

### FORGING AHEAD.

Court Saskatchewan, the new court of the Independent Order of Foresters, is making wonderful progress in Prince Albert. Another meeting of charter members will be held in Saskatchewan Hall on Friday evening next, when it is expected that the "young giant" will beat all records.

### METEOROLOGICAL

The following are the thermometer readings, as taken at Emmanuel College for the past week:-

March.

6th..... 38 1

7th..... 37 18

8th..... 34 - 2

9th..... 4 - 20

10th..... 25 - 19

11th..... 23 8

12th..... 10 - 2

\* This sign (-) means below zero.

We are pleased to see that Mr. J. E. Young, manager of the Imperial Bank here, has resumed his duties again. For the past ten days Mr. Young has been suffering from a severe attack of grippe, but we are glad to say is now rapidly recovering.

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AND  
**SASKATCHEWAN REVIEW,**  
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AT  
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J. D. MAVEETY, Proprietor

**SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES**

St. Alban's Church—Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 3 p.m. Incumbent in charge, Archdeacon G. Mackay.

St. Catharines—10:30 a.m.—Rev. Canon Flett, B.D.

St. Paul's—3 p.m.—Rev. Canon Flett, B.D.

St. Andrew's—10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Rev. B. Barton

St. Leonard's—3 p.m.—Rev. B. Barton

St. James—10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.—Rev. J. Badger.

St. Mary's College Chapel—7 p.m.—Archdeacon J. A. Mackay.

Holy communion at 8:30 a.m., once a month.

St. Paul's (Presbyterian)—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Rev. W. Rochester.

Methodist Church—Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 10:30. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Strangers welcome. Rev. F. H. Stacey, Pastor.

St. Anne's (R.C.)—10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.—Rev. Pere Domeneau.

**THIS PAPER** may be found on all the lines of the **NEW YORK** **ROWE & CO.'S** Newspaper Advertising Bureau, 10 Spruce-street, where advertisements may be made for it in **NEW YORK**.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1892

**IMMIGRATION PROSPECTS**

Thirty families from South Simcoe leave on the 22nd inst., for Saskatchewan, and Father Blais with 40 families will start for Prince Albert two weeks later. This is from the *Free Press*. From other sources we learn that five families from Southern Manitoba will arrive here in a few days. Former Dakota people now living here are receiving by every mail news of the expected exodus of their friends from Dakota. Prince Albert district seems to be the objective point for a large number of this year's emigrants. We have room for all and can promise any who are looking for new homes, that this district will be found suitable for them, superior in a great many ways, and inferior to no other part of the Northwest. To those already on the move or who contemplate moving we say, don't pay any attention to the statements of parties interested in some other districts who will tell you as they have done before, many things derogatory to the climate etc., of Saskatchewan; on the contrary, read the following from a perfectly unbiased and disinterested visitor. Mr. Acton Burrows, of the *Western World*, thus gives his impressions about Prince Albert: "That a place with no rail way communication nearer than 250 miles until a year ago, should have progressed as Prince Albert has done is simply astonishing. Instead of a mere hamlet as might naturally be expected, the visitor finds a stirring town with well graded streets, excellent sidewalks, telephone communication, electric light, substantial public and business buildings and comfortable and commodious, in some cases luxurious private houses." Then Mr. Burrows naturally seeks for reasons for this wonderful advancement in the face of unparalleled drawbacks, and he comes to the conclusion that several causes have contributed to its progress—the money spent by the Indian and N. W. M. Police Departments, the markets offered by the H. B. Co., for all wheat grown, at

good prices, but the principal reason is that the district is possessed of great natural resources, and the settlers were enabled to secure right on the spot, at a nominal cost what settlers in other parts of the country had to secure at great cost, or perhaps unable to get at all, consequently money taken into the district was not sent east but spent and kept in the district." The above description tells simply in a few words what has built up this large and prosperous town. It is its surrounding district. Need further proof be adduced that as we have before said, our Prince Albert district is superior to many and inferior to none. Should these lines meet the eye of any intending settler who has been dubious as to the merits of this district, he should write at once to Mayor Donaldson, or Secretary Coombs of the Immigration Committee, these gentlemen will cheerfully and promptly furnish all information.

**PRINCE ALBERT WHEAT.**

"The finest sample of wheat shown from the crop of 1891, grown anywhere in Manitoba or the Territories, is probably one sent from Prince Albert by Mr. Davison, manager of the Hudson's Bay Co.'s business at that place, to the manager of the Hudson's Bay Co.'s mill at Winnipeg. It is a practically pure red type, and for size of berry and plumpness is a wonderfully fine sample."

The above clipping from the *Winnipeg Commercial* adds another to the long list of triumphs our district has achieved in the line of wheat growing, and here again is great inducement to new settlers. Farming is no experiment in this district. For 25 years at least, men have been engaged at the business of grain raising here, and we have yet to hear of a total failure of crops from any cause, in the territory lying between the north and south branches of the Saskatchewan, usually called the Prince Albert district. Examples can be furnished of men who came here with little more than what they carried on their backs, who are today successful and wealthy farmers owning magnificent farms, fine buildings, good herds of stock, etc., and each year adding materially to their bank accounts. Such examples are numerous, and the reason of their success is to be looked for in the unsurpassed fertility of the soil and the varied and rich resources of this district, coupled with of course good honest toil. Our wheat has taken prizes and won golden opinions wherever it has come to the notice of those competent to judge it. This sample sent by Mr. Davison is not an exception, there are are thousands of bushels just like it all over the district, and now that we have the representative of an eastern grain firm buying wheat, it will not be at all surprising if such notices as the *Commercial* gives will become quite common. It is not often that a great organ of commerce like the *Commercial* "gushes" over the products of any special district, but when it does it will generally be found worthy of careful study and consideration, and we think it will repay the Manitoba and Northwest newspapers to give prominence to the statement that "the finest sample of wheat grown anywhere is probably one sent from Prince Albert." Put this with the facts that our wheat carried all before it at the Winnipeg Exhibition last year, that there has never been a failure of crops in this district from any cause and you will then have some reason for Prince Albert's claim to being a superior field for the settlement of immigrants who will shortly arrive in the country.

**ELEVATOR WANTED.**

We see and hear of farmers nearly every day who complain of the lack of storehouse capacity in Prince Albert. Most of the farmers with whom we have spoken on this subject do not grumble at the price paid for their grain etc., by our merchants, millers and grain buyers. The majority of those whose crops were harvested in good condition are receiving a fair price for their products, but the complaint is that great inconvenience is caused by the fact of there being no elevator or warehouse in which to store grain in case the mills are stocked or cars scarce, as is very often the case especially in the former instance. Here then is a field for enterprise. No very large outlay of capital would be required to provide a suitable building in which grain might be stored for a time. Regina farmers have taken the matter in hand themselves, and now have an elevator where not only can they store their grain, but have it cleaned and made ready for shipment at a trifling cost. If elevator accommodation were provided here, much of the wheat that is yet in granary would find its way out, and no doubt a decided improvement in local monetary circles would result. This is a subject that might profitably and properly be taken up by the Board of Trade, who in conjunction with the farmers of the district, could doubtless bring the matter to a successful termination.

**WORLD'S FAIR.**

THE TIMES has been favored with a copy of the general regulations for foreign exhibitors at the World's Columbian Exposition. It is a very comprehensive pamphlet, and too bulky to find space in these columns. The twelve departments of the classification which will determine the relative location of articles in the exhibition are as follows:

- A. Agriculture—finest products, Forestry, Machinery appliances.
  - B. Viticulture—horticulture, floriculture.
  - C. Live Stock—domestic and wild animals.
  - D. Fish—fisheries, fish products and apparatus for fishing.
  - E. Mines, mining and metallurgy.
  - F. Machinery.
  - G. Transportation—railways, vessels, vehicles.
  - H. Manufactures.
  - I. Electricity.
  - K. Fine Arts—pictorial, plastic, decorative.
  - L. Liberal Arts—education, engineering, public works, architecture, music and the drama.
  - M. Ethnology—archaeology, progress of labor and invention, isolated and collective exhibits.
- Geo. R. Davis, of Chicago, is Director-General of the exposition, and all desired information can be had by applying to him.

**MEDICAL HALL.**

**Farmers, This Interests You:**

We are making up our orders for Field and Garden Seeds, which includes all the principal varieties. Should any special kind be desired we shall be pleased to order for you and supply at list prices from any wholesale seed house.

**Blue Vitrol 500 lbs. On hand.**

**TERMS CASH**

**J. G. WHITE & CO.**

**MARCH 1st, 1892.**

All Accounts contracted with Betts & Gwynne must be paid to Mr. Gwynne.

1879

1892

**BUFFALO HALL.**

**THE BOOM STILL CONTINUES!**

The Public are Taking Advantage of the Bargains Offered.

**NO RESERVES.**

Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter Goods!

ALL INCLUDED—EVERYTHING AT COST

**J. F. BETTS. NOTICE.**

**The Macdonald Estate**

Has been Withdrawn from Market for a short time Further Notice will appear.

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A full line of Fresh and Cured Meats, Sausage and Fish always on hand Orders promptly delivered to all parts of the town

**ESTATE OF J. M. CAMPBELL NOTICE.**

I have to specially call the attention of all parties indebted to this estate that their accounts must be settled forthwith.

To all who have not closed their accounts by notes, I am to say that where cash is not readily obtainable, good prime marketable steers, wheat and oats will be taken in payment of accounts, at current prices.

Any person neglecting to attend to the settlement of his account must abide by the consequences as I have positive instructions to make collections at once.

**JAMES TAYLOR.**

Assignee

Prince Albert, Oct. 1st, 1891.



**CONSUMPTION.**

I have a positive remedy for the above disease; by its use thousands of men of the most kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed so strong is my faith in its efficacy, that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease to any sufferer who will send me their EXPRESS and P.O. address. T. A. SLOOM, M. C., 186 ADELAIDE ST., WEST, TORONTO, ONT.

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For the convenience of builders in town, a yard has been opened on the Mission property, at which Mr. T. E. AKER, the owner, has a large stock of building materials.

# LOCAL HAPPENINGS

## In Our Midst.

Get the perfectly unstretchable Dress Linings at Sproat & MacLeod's.

W. K. Gunn, advocate, has gone to Duck Lake re Batoche election trial.

Did you see the Blouses and Spring Jackets at F. C. Bakers?

T. J. Agnew, the hardware man, is having his name painted on the front of his handsome store.

Where did you get that Hat? At F. C. Bakers.

Several transfers of real estate have been effected during the last two weeks, and at good prices.

If you want the latest in Hats see Sproat & MacLeod's.

Mr. R. Paul, of Willoughby is in town to-day. Mr. Paul expects to leave for the east shortly in the interests of immigration.

One thousand men and boys wanted to buy Hats and Caps at F. C. Bakers.

Lacroix Bros. have just turned out two very handsome delivery wagons—one for H. McDougall, baker, and another for W. Y. Davis, butcher.

The latest designs in Prints at Sproat & MacLeod's.

We regret to hear that Mrs. St. Laurent, of Saskatoon, while out driving, had the misfortune to be thrown from the sleigh, and three of her ribs broken.

Ladies, the Dress Goods at F. C. Bakers are worthy of inspection.

We are glad to hear that little Jimmy Wheeler, the lad who broke his leg last week, is getting along very nicely and doing much better than was at first expected.

The latest novelty in Dress Trimmings at Sproat & MacLeod's.

Owing to the blockade on the main line of the C. P. R., an order has been issued that for the present cars will not be available for the shipment of grain, etc., from here and other points.

Oh! for Millinery see Sproat & MacLeod's.

Mr. Jas. Taylor, manager of the J. M. Campbell estate, has returned from Banff where he had been for the benefit of his health, which we are pleased to say has been greatly improved by the trip.

For the best assortment of Prints, Flannelets, and Gingham, go to F. C. Bakers.

The liquor license commissioners met at the Queens on Wednesday last, and appointed Messrs. J. Wignmore and C. Thompson inspectors for the town and outlying districts respectively.

Do not forget the celebrated Stanley Cloths at Sproat & MacLeod's.

Mr. S. McLeod, boot and shoe dealer, has secured the services of Mr. S. Fraser, recently from Scotland, as shoemaker for his establishment. Mr. Fraser is a first-class mechanic, and his arrival will fill a much felt want.

The Idea of March yesterday. Great Caesar's Ghost's birthday. Many happy returns etc.

Mr. T. Blackwood, of Blackwood Bros. Winnipeg, came in on Saturday's train, on business connected with his firm. Mr. Blackwood had been to the coast, and is now working towards home.

Court Saskatchewan, I. O. F., now numbers some seventy-six members—with more to follow. Since its inception, Bro. Sanderson, D. S. C. R., must have worked without ceasing to have obtained such a grand result.

The employees on our local train service are having a hard time of it with the snow drifts just now. From Prince Albert to Saskatoon there is no trouble, but from that point to Regina it is a case of fighting snow drifts.

A. Agnew & Co., the new hardware firm, and J. L. Johnson & Co., the old hardware firm, are busy this week taking stock and arranging details in connection with the transfer of Mr. Johnson's business to the new firm.

We are pleased to know that the population is steadily and rapidly increasing, despite the pessimistic views and sayings of sundry sore heads. The Rev. Canon Flett baptized five native born children last Sunday, while three other little strangers have been added to the list during the week.

**Dr. T. A. Stocuin's**  
OXYGENIZED EMULSION OF PURE  
COD LIVER OIL. If you have Weak  
Lungs—Use it. For sale by all druggists,  
35 cents per bottle.

To-morrow is the anniversary of Ireland's patron saint—St. Patrick's Day.

To-morrow is the seventh anniversary of the Riel uprising in the Territories, and a week ago last Friday was the 22nd anniversary of the shooting of Scott during the Red River rebellion.

The views of the Prince Albert district, which appeared in the January number of the *Western World* have attracted so much attention that three of them are to be reproduced on magic lantern slides, to be lent to lecturers on Canada who are travelling through Great Britain.

Dr. Porter, formerly of Prince Albert, is now in Chicago, where it is said he will resume the practice of his profession. Wherever the doctor decides to locate his many old friends in this town will wish him the unbounded success his warm-hearted nature and thorough knowledge of medicine entitles him to receive.

The Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories will sit at Duck Lake on the 21st inst. The Batoche election case will be tried at this court. This will be the first issue of this nature in the Territories and is creating considerable interest. His Lordship Judge Macguire and Sheriff Hughes will leave on the train on Monday.

When *Canada* was started over a year ago, it consisted of 12 quarto pages, without cover, at 50 cents a year. The current number, that for March, contains 32 quarto pages and cover, equal to 64 pages of ordinary magazine size, at the merely nominal price of \$1 a year. This number is the best yet issued. Its poems, stories, and miscellaneous articles are by leading Canadian writers, are patriotic in tone and deeply interesting. It is broadly national in its scope, since Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island are all represented among the contributors to the present number, and it is but a fair specimen of what is furnished every month. Whether any other publication is taken or not, this magazine should find a hearty reception in every patriotic Canadian home. It will be sent six months for 50 cents in stamps. Published by Matthew R. Knight, Benton, New Brunswick.

*Wayhorn's Guide* for March keeps us posted on all matters of travel, and embodies the current changes in railway time card, post office and stage service, and gives tables of Atlantic steamship sailings from Halifax, Boston and New York, and connecting trains with Winnipeg, fares and accommodation by each line. A number of new post offices are opened and added to the list which shows at a glance the section, township and range of each, the province and mail connection. Very useful and complete lists also are noticed dealing with banks and financial houses in the Northwest; municipalities, boundaries and officials; ecclesiastical directory, masonic and military guides; members of legislative assemblies; land titles and registry offices; law terms and court sittings, etc. Indeed it would be hard to find any subject of general business interest in the Northwest that has not the necessary information of practical value supplied by *Wayhorn's Guide*. The work is published in Winnipeg, price 10c.

## CURLIANA.

The last of the team games for Mr. Bett's gold headed cane was played Thursday between teams skipped by Campbell and Brown. Campbell's team winning by a score of 13 to 3. Good play was shown by both teams, but Campbell's team was evidently determined to win and did so. The following were the players:

H. J. Starforth      W. H. Jones  
A. Stevens      G. R. Stovel  
J. D. Mawrey      R. G. Wignone  
T. N. Campbell skip 13 G. T. Brown skip 3

The winning team finished the contest by single handed matches. Mr. Stevens defeating his opponents easily, and has now the privilege of wearing the cane for one year.

Quebec, March 10.—Mercier has resigned his seat in the legislature. He had no other course to pursue. His party has been wiped out of existence by the most conclusive vote ever polled in this province or anywhere else. He has issued a letter to his friends announcing his withdrawal from public life.

## BIRTHS.

MAIR—At Prince Albert, on Monday, the 13th inst., the wife of James Mair, of a son.

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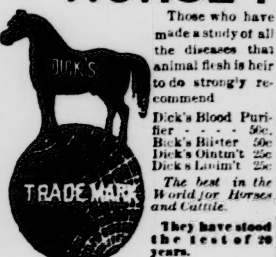
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